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CHANGES IN DIRECTORY

Meat Inspection Withdrawn

233. Cheshire Beef & Produce Co., 105 Emerald Street, Keene, N. H.

233-A. Cheshire Farm, Keene, N. H. 334. Foster Beef Co., West Terrace Street, Claremont, N. H. 835. Southern Meat Co., North Patt Street, Anaheim, Calif.

1011. The Weideman Co., 1240 West Ninth Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

Meat Inspection Extended

2-F. Armour & Co., Fort Worth, Tex., to include Jacob E. Decker & Sons, Inc.

Change of Name of Official Establishment

533. Swift & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Arnold Bros., Inc., and Perry Packing &

Provision Co., instead of Arnold Bros., Inc. 533-A. Swift & Co., Perry, Iowa, and Arnold Bros., Inc., and Perry Packing & Provision Co., instead of Arnold Bros., Inc.

Change of Official in Charge

H. I. Harris succeeds S. W. Greene as acting superintendent in charge, McNeill Experiment Station, McNeill, Miss.

Stations Discontinued

Claremont, N. H., meat inspection (remove Mr. Patterson). Keene, N. H., meat inspection (remove Dr. Stafford).

Substation Added

Great Falls, Mont., enforcement Packers and Stockyards Act, under Dr. G. W. Cronen, Helena, Mont.

Substation Discontinued

Anaheim, Calif., meat inspection, under Los Angeles, Calif.

Note

Supervision over enforcement of Packers and Stockyards Act at Scottsbluff, Nebr., has been placed under Dr. J. W. Murdoch, Lincoln, Nebr., instead of under J. R. Plumb, Omaha, Nebr.

On page 9 of the directory, under New York, N. Y., Dr. J. O. Wilson is in charge of international inspection and quarantine and sanitary handling of import hides, instead of Dr. J. Fleming (retired).

NOTICES REGARDING MEAT INSPECTION

SEALING CARS AND TRUCKS CONTAINING UNMARKED MEAT

Section 6, regulation 25, B. A. I. Order 211 (revised), requires sealed cars or trucks containing unmarked meat or product to proceed direct to the official establishment to which the unmarked meat or product is destined and does not provide for the unloading of any of the contents of the car or truck or the loading of other meat or product or any other commodity in the car or truck while en route to destination. Therefore, the practice of unloading marked meat or product from a sealed car or truck containing unmarked meat or product or loading other meat or product or any other commodity in the car or truck while en route to destination will no longer be permitted.

FACSIMILES OF CZECHOSLOVAKIAN MEAT-INSPECTION CERTIFICATES

The facsimile shown on page 111 represents the form of approved meat-inspection certificate for Czechoslovakia acceptable under the provisions of B. A. I. Order 211 (revised), regulation 27, section 5, paragraph 5.

The similar facsimile shown on page 112 represents the form of approved meatinspection certificate for Czechoslovakia which is acceptable under B. A. I. Order 211 (revised), regulation 27, section 5, paragraph 6, regardless of the signatory, for meat and meat food products of a kind prepared customarily to be eaten without cooking, which contain muscle tissue of pork.



REPUBLIKA ČESKOSLOVENSKÁ.

Úřední potvrzení o prohlídce masa.

Místo	Československo.	Datum	19
vepřů neb koz, které by tyto výrobky z masa json k lidské výživě, dále že n látek ani jiných, které ne zemědělství Spojených S	maso a výrobky z masa, z yly před i po porážce veteri u zdravé, zdravotně bezzáva nebyly upravovány konserv ejsou dovoleny předpisy o ko států Severoamerických, a ko vensku nakládáno jen způso	nářem prohlédnu dné, zdraví prosp ovadly a barvivy ontrole masa, vyc onečně, že tímto	ity a že toto maso nebo ěšné a i jinak způsobilé a že neobsahují těchto danými Departmentem masem anebo výrobky
Druh zboží	Počet kusů	nebo zásilek	Váha
			
Označení totožnosti na mo	ase a obalech:		
Jméno a adresa dodavatel	k:		
Jméno a adresa příjemce:			
Značky dopravní:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Úřední raz ítko.	(I	Podpis a hodnost veter	ináře prohlídkou pověřeného.)

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REPUBLIKA ČESKOSLOVENSKÁ.

Úřední potvrzení o prohlídce vepřového masa a výrobků z něho.

....Československo.

bez vaření, že obsahuje vepřové m chováno po dobu ne kratší než 20 nebo s nímž bylo jinak nakládár	e popsané, jest toho druhu, jak býv aso, které bylo v čerstvém nebo čers O dnů při teplotě ne vyšší než 5° Fa no tak, jak předepsáno přednostou amerických, a že toto zboží neobsa úsobem, než jak je zde uvedeno.	stvě nasoleném stavu ahrenheita (–15°C), 1 Bureau of Animal
Druh zbożí	Počet kusů nebo zásilek	Váha
	-	
Označení totožnosti na mase a obalec	ch:	
Jméno a adresa dodavatele:		
Jméno a adresa příjemce:		
Značky dopravní:		
Úřední razítko.	(Podpis a hodnost veteriná	ře prohlídkou pověřeného.)

Poznámka: Toto úřední potvrzení musí provázetí každou zásilku vepřového masa a výrobků, připravených k jídlu bez dodatečného vaření (uzenina, »Italian« a »Westphalia« šunky a pod.). Toto úřední potvrzení musí býti předloženo příjemcem nebo jeho zástupcem inspektoru Departmentu zemědělství při prohlídce ve Spojených Státech.

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION, OCTOBER 1936 1

Station	Cattle	Calves	Sheep and lambs	Goats	Swine		
Baltimore Chicago 3_ Cincinnati 4 Cleveland Denver Kansas City Milwaukee 5 New York Omaha St. Louis 6_ Sioux City South St. Paul 7	25, 956 89, 104 78, 601 44, 759 99, 014	(2) 30. 159 8, 056 (2) 3, 671 45, 134 37, 521 48, 287 21, 400 59, 789 10, 736 67, 032			(2) 429, 344 (2) 45, 695 26, 465 139, 847 (2) (2) (2) 120, 376 224, 447 88, 344 262, 614		
All other stations Total: October 1936 October 1935 10 months ended—	1, 124, 175 1, 083, 044	585, 425 531, 090	1,741,798 1,764,535	1, 747 1, 747 6, 282	2, 154, 539 3, 491, 671 2, 135, 317		
October 1936	9, 000, 089 8, 004, 656 40, 537	5, 099, 348 4. 757, 788 64, 910	14, 098, 830 14, 868, 549 255, 860	12, 214 19, 984	27, 082, 233 20, 760, 874 219, 792		
1 Horses slaughtered: October 1936							

October 1935______14, 547 ² Included in "All other stations."

MEAT AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS PREPARED AND PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION, OCTOBER 1936

Product	Quantity	Product	Quantity
Meat placed in cure: Beef	Pounds 15, 647, 518 177, 085, 685 5, 608, 530 100, 230, 253 12, 819, 829 56, 283, 300 10, 069, 133 11, 276, 549 1, 163, 066 11, 878, 767	Canned meat and meat food products: Beef	7, 047, 90 27, 772, 25 6, 171, 73 19, 274, 05 64, 438, 62 63, 102, 89 12, 607, 42 8, 988, 98 38, 806, 76

¹ This figure represents "inspection pounds" as some of the products may have been inspected and recorded more than once due to having been subjected to more than one distinct processing treatment, such as curing first and then canning.

<sup>Included in "All other stations."
Includes Ottawa, Ill.
Includes Newport and Lexington, Ky.
Includes Cudahy, Fort Atkinson, and Green Bay, Wis.
Includes National Stock Yards, Ill.
Includes Newport and St. Paul, Minn.
The slaughter figures in this group of cities are included in the figures above for "New York" and "All other stations" and are combined here to show total in the Greater New York district.</sup>

IMPORTS OF FOOD ANIMALS AND OF MEATS AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS, OCTOBER 1936

The statements following show the imports of food animals and of meats and meat food products inspected by the Bureau of Animal Industry during October 1936 with figures for other periods for comparison.

Imports of food animals

Country of origin	Cattle	Swine	Sheep	Goats
Mexico	10, 219 10, 551	113 5, 278	64	1
Total: October 1936 October 1935 10 months ended— October 1935 October 1935	20, 889 47, 620 387, 893 347, 423	5,394 959 45,621 7,371	65 3, 509 5, 117 17, 906	1 2 54 36

Imports of meats and meat food products

Country of origin		and frozen meats	Canned	Other	Total	
	Beef	Other	and cured	products	20001	
Argentina	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds 4,776,916	Pounds 104, 918	Pounds 4, 881, 834	
Australia Brazil			8, 573 1, 356, 462	428	9,001 1,356,462	
CanadaLithuania	41, 298	823, 061 183, 459	212, 268 6, 012	43, 721 265	1, 120, 348 189, 736	
New Zealand Poland	522		1, 989, 496	2, 451	2, 973 1, 989, 496	
Uruguay			3, 812, 314		3, 812, 314	
Other countries			320, 553	59,086	379, 639	
Total	41,820	1, 006, 520	12, 482, 594	210, 869	13, 741, 803	

Condemned in October 1936: Beef, 467 pounds; pork, 17,479 pounds; total 17,946 pounds. Refused entry: Beef, 90,037 pounds; pork, 387 pounds; total 90,424 pounds.

SUMMARY OF TUBERCULOSIS-ERADICATION WORK IN COOPERATION WITH STATES, OCTOBER 1936

,	tests during month Cattle tested cred-tested cred-tested ited super								
State or Terri- tory			accred- ited		tested free	cred- ited	Herds under super- vision	Inspector in charge	State official
Ala Ariz Ark Calif	8, 910	33	No. 67 14 75 8	100 100 100	270, 875 12, 236 365, 240	6 3	12, 593 365, 243	F. L. Schneider A. W. Rice	I. S. McAdory, Auburn. C. T. Guilfoyle, Phoenix. C. D. Stubbs, Little Rock. C. U. Duckworth, Sacramento.
Colo Conn			63						R. M. Gow, Denver. Edwin R. Dimock, Hart-
Del D. C			3 1	100 100			7, 758 47	1	ford. Ralph C. Wilson, Dover.
FlaGaIdahoIll.IndIowaKansKy.		11 0 6 271 60	67 159 44 102 92 99 105 120	100 100 100 100 100	39, 817 241, 754 51, 154 231, 537 182, 541 169, 600 170, 358	77 22 32 5, 759 1, 416 722	45, 860 241, 776 51, 270 241, 763	T. W. Cole	J. V. Knapp, Tallahassee. Tom Linder, Atlanta. Thomas W. White, Boise. J. P. Stout, Springfield. J. L. Axby, Indianapolis. H. A. Seidell, Des Moines. J. H. Mercer, Topeka. D. E. Westmorland, Frankfort.
La		14	64		<u> </u>		148, 794		E. P. Flower, Baton Rouge.
Maine Md Mass Mich Minn Miss Mo	18, 182	47	16 15 14 83 87 82 114	65 100 100 100 100	28, 389 12, 629 206, 901 200, 781 260, 164	11, 821 60 941 14	52, 042 25, 112 207, 087 202, 254 260, 226	W. C. Dendinger. E. B. Simonds. E. A. Crossman. T. S. Rich. W. J. Fretz. H. Robbins. Ralph Graham.	H. M. Tucker, Augusta. Mark Welsh, Baltimore. C. F. Riordan, Boston. C. H. Clark, Lansing. C. E. Cotton, St. Paul. E. S. Brashier, Jackson. Hugh E. Curry, Jefferson
Mont Nebr Nev N. H N. J	3, 302 9, 772 937 334 22, 870	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 24 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 123 \end{array}$	56 93 17 10 1 12	100 100 100 100 57	128, 900 3, 417 278	$\begin{array}{c c} 32 \\ 6 \\ 17,525 \end{array}$	72, 760 131, 988 3, 441 17, 821 19, 522	J. W. Murdoch R. A. Given E. A. Crossman	City. W. J. Butler, Helena. J. S. Anderson, Lincoln. Edward Records, Reno. A. L. Felker, Concord. R. A. Hendershott, Tren-
N. Mex.	2, 233	2	31	100	22, 104	9	25, 450	F. L. Schneider	ton. W. A. Naylor, Albu- querque.
N. Y N. C N. Dak.	202, 914 2, 160 35, 455	0	36 100 53	100	,	124, 385 328 4, 794	256, 633	H. B. Leonard A. A. Husman H. H. Cohenour	
Ohio Okla	22, 046 19, 032	95 2 8	88 77		260, 738 276, 338	405 76	261, 463 276, 417	A. J. DeFosset L. J. Allen	F. A. Zimmer, Columbus. C. C. Hisel, Oklahoma
Oreg Pa	7, 079 55, 157	113 334	$\frac{36}{64}$			1, 589 8, 576	127, 520 180, 158	S. B. Foster J. B. Reidy	City. W. H. Lytle, Salem. H. M. Kalodner, Har-
R. I	1, 944	8	5	100	2, 197	1, 289	3, 915	E. A. Crossman	risburg. Patrick P. Cullen, Providence.
S. C S. Dak Tenn	754 61, 976 1, 672	998 0	46 37 95	100 54 100	70, 326 97, 346 294, 780	76 295 22	70, 404 108, 998 294, 813	W. K. Lewis C. H. Hays H. L. Fry	W. K. Lewis, Columbia. T. H. Ruth, Pierre. A. C. Topmiller, Nash-
Tex Utah	9, 599 2, 986	154 39	254 29	100 100	492, 242 46, 946	134 127	535, 915 47, 242	H. L. Darby F. E. Murray	ville. T. O. Booth, Fort' Worth. W. H. Hendricks, Salt
Vt	13, 593	47	14	100	7, 180	16, 642	23, 896	L. H. Adams	Lake City. Edward H. Jones, Montpelier.
Va Wash W. Va	6, 117 20, 790 1, 732	7 50 0	100 39 55	100 100 100	198, 414 72, 551 114, 001	609 54 580	199, 291 76, 475 114, 607	R. E. Brookbank J. C. Exline H. M. Newton	H. C. Givens, Richmond. M. R. Hales, Olympia. J. B. McLaughlin,
Wis	31, 317	27	71	100	185, 040	9, 167	194, 542	J. S. Healy	Charleston. Walter Wisnicky, Madison.
Wyo Hawaii.	72	1	23	100	17, 602 350	5	19, 082 350	W. A. Sullivan Lewis Bilikam	H. D. Port, Cheyenne. B. A. Gallagher, Hono-
P. R	15, 292	31	10	13	1, 339	199	6, 278	W. McPherson	lulu. H. Menendez Ramos, San Juan.
Total.	1,114,212	7, 933	2, 953	94	6,199,721	257, 921	6,662,747		

SUMMARY OF BANG'S DISEASE WORK IN COOPERATION WITH STATES, OCTOBER 1936 1

Chaha	blood	ination tests ted dur- ionth	Results of agglutination blood tests during month					Herds under	Cattle
State	Herds	Cattle	Herds contain-	Total cattle	Reac-	Negative		super- vision	waiting list
	Tierus	Cattle	ing in- fection	in herds	tors	Herds	Cattle		
AlabamaArizonaArkansasCalifornia	552 62 4, 706	33, 928 3, 909 24, 156	242 21 604	25, 049 2, 622 7, 368	1, 091 72 1, 112	310 41 4, 102	8,879 1,287 16,788	1,509 1,276 27,922 37	2, 887 2, 000
Colorado Connecticut Delaware Florida Georgia Idaho	39 34 96 - 1, 063 295 584	1, 913 1, 145 1, 288 19, 252 10, 718 8, 467	17 11 19 158 129 242	1, 270 341 384 8, 802 6, 945 5, 669	59 19 46 876 399 819	22 23 77 905 166 342	643 804 904 10, 450 3, 773 2, 798	147 185 466 4,862 1,714 13,703	1, 540 40
IllinoisIndianaIowa KansasKentucky	734 1,179 1,243 381 1,433	10, 231 14, 036 22, 772 13, 099 14, 239	185 230 562 206 247	3, 650 3, 569 12, 470 10, 377 4, 599 13, 429	718 676 2, 396 1, 672 688 1, 684	549 949 681 175 1, 186 4, 368	6, 581 10, 467 10, 302 2, 722 9, 640 15, 710	8, 599 13, 124 9, 327 2, 251 21, 685	7, 289 39, 924 25, 050
Louisiana Maine Maryland Massachusetts Michigan Minnesota	4, 937 112 486 14 2, 251 2, 522	29, 139 1, 633 3, 487 405 23, 853 39, 588	569 31 56 6 245 728	773 948 188 4, 171 14, 500	98 142 19 765 1, 949	81 430 8 2,006 1,794	860 2, 539 217 19, 682 25, 088	8, 190 1, 756 5, 558 103 15, 619 41, 993	49, 264 754 737 29 5, 832 1, 000
Mississippi Missouri Montana Nebraska Nevada New Hampshire	700 3,813 581 418 42 169	14, 276 40, 157 18, 780 9, 755 570 1, 576	283 1, 046 164 159 18 36	9, 777 16, 872 11, 626 5, 962 300 550	371 2, 979 1, 300 779 41 86	2, 767 417 259 24 133	4, 499 23, 285 7, 154 3, 793 270 1, 026	2, 186 33, 625 5, 226 3, 103 1, 004 1, 091	9, 411 9, 199 85 1, 227
New Jersey New Mexico New York North Carolina North Dakota Ohio	37 552 178 314 618 1, 472	3, 216 5, 340 5, 029 5, 787 11, 877 17, 253	24 47 96 52 298 310	2,810 2,651 3,548 1,901 7,611 4,768	82 269 331 164 1, 222 1, 029	13 505 82 262 320 1, 162	406 2, 689 1, 481 3, 886 4, 266 12, 485	185 3, 791 1, 887 2, 865 7, 131 25, 173	5, 000 9, 196 511 4, 400
Oklahoma Oregon Pennsylvania Rhode Island South Carolina	2, 298 1, 747 2, 332 11 193	67, 675 19, 610 24, 855 356 5, 422	695 231 251 8 27	36, 286 7, 605 6, 770 310 1, 226	3, 067 851 972 36 95	1, 603 1, 516 2, 081 3 166	31, 389 12, 005 18, 085 46 4, 196	18, 744 44, 918 18, 560 52 1, 325	74, 375 8, 896 114 5, 000
South Dakota Tennessee Texas Utah Vermont Virginia	176 807 531 710 81 9,677	5, 374 13, 008 22, 888 4, 083 1, 820 38, 277	97 403 154 75 23 304	3, 520 9, 374 12, 101 1, 045 570 5, 805	718 1,036 837 174 63 591	79 404 377 635 58 9, 373	1, 854 3, 634 10, 787 3, 038 1, 250 32, 472	502 4, 317 3, 178 11, 887 194 72, 761	10, 991 1, 829 9, 500 3, 868 179 60, 500
Washington West Virginia Wisconsin Wyoming	3, 708 1, 589 3, 874 152	38, 277 26, 326 9, 346 71, 735 10, 007	579 73 1, 051 82	8, 542 1, 069 24, 815 7, 892	1, 620 186 4, 655 833	3, 129 1, 516 2, 823 70	32, 472 17, 784 8, 277 46, 920 2, 115	30, 542 20, 471 40, 245 1, 529	66, 220
Total	59, 503	731, 656	11,094	322, 430	39, 687	48, 409	409, 226	536, 518	416, 847

¹ Officials in charge of Bang's disease work are the same as those listed in summary of tuberculosis-eradication work.

BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS PREPARED UNDER LICENSES. OCTOBER 1936

Anti-hog-cholera serum

Period	Preserved	Completed	Released	Destroyed
October 1936October 1935	Cc 57, 288, 483	Cc 61, 064, 826 35, 588, 905	<i>Cc</i> 70, 538, 634 66, 320, 905	Cc 262, 660 143, 396
10 months ended— October 1936October 1935	606, 564, 796	599, 578, 385 325, 887, 631	623, 774, 227 607, 037, 685	2, 908, 513 1, 548, 569

Hog-cholera virus

		Produced	Destroyed		
Period	Simulta- neous	Hyperim- munizing	Inoculating	Simulta- neous	Hyperim- munizing
October 1936	Cc 3, 679, 975 2, 568, 832 48, 176, 584 41, 624, 773	Cc 12, 913, 904 7, 564, 439 123, 613, 523 58, 723, 691	Cc 47, 904 39, 723 589, 137 321, 589	Cc 142, 208 139, 815 1, 266, 113 1, 939, 477	Cc 387, 722 264, 315 3, 718, 477 2, 339, 463

INSPECTIONS AND TESTS IN THE PREPARATION OF BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS UNDER LICENSES, OCTOBER 1936

Period	Animal inspections	Animal rejections	Pigs in- oculated	Hogs hy- pered	Tests supervised	
					Serum	Virus
October 1936	173, 062 106, 267 1, 799, 316 978, 239	1, 484 931 17, 968 9, 195	15, 229 8, 919 154, 153 91, 982	10, 662 5, 592 98, 451 47, 095	261 183 2, 641 1, 437	136 107 1,668 1,586

LICENSES ISSUED FOR BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS, OCTOBER 1936

License no. 17 was issued October 6, 1936, to Beebe Laboratories, Inc., Larpenteur Avenue and White Bear Car Line, St. Paul, Minn. (mailing address, P. O. box 3575), for: Pulmonary mixed bacterin (for cattle) and pulmonary mixed bacterin (for swine).

License no. 52 was issued October 19, 1936, to Cutter Laboratories, Fourth and Parker Streets, Seventh Street and Dwight Way, and Eighth Street and Dwight Way, Berkeley, Calif. (mailing address, 4th and Parker Sts.), for pulmonary mixed bacterin (ovine).

RESULTS OF PROSECUTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF LAWS

Penalties and fines have been imposed in prosecutions for violations of regulatory laws, as reported to the Bureau, as follows:

Twenty-Eight-Hour Law

Chicago & North Western Railway Co. (4 cases), \$400 penalties. Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co., \$150 penalty. Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Co., \$100 penalty. Erie Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway Co., \$100 penalty.

Missouri Pacific Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. Missouri Pacific Railroad Co. (trustees) (2 cases), \$200 penalties. New York Central Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. New York, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad Co. (2 cases), \$200 penalties. St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Co. (trustees), \$100 penalty. Texas & New Orleans Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. Wabash Railway Co. (receivers), \$100 penalty.

Livestock-Quarantine Law

J. V. McQuillan, Meridian, Miss., interstate movement of cattle without tuberculin test (Mississippi to Alabama), \$15 fine.

Union Pacific Railroad Co., interstate movement of infectious car without prior cleaning and disinfection under Bureau supervision (Colorado to Iowa), \$100 fine. Charles A. Johnson, Kimball, S. Dak., interstate transportation tuberculous cattle (Minnesota to South Dakota), probation 18 months—case open for that period.

Meat-Inspection Law

For offering uninspected meat for interstate shipment: Albert L. Carfora, West Brighton, N. Y., \$50 fine. Peter Sereno, Englewood, N. J., \$100 fine.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE PACKERS AND STOCKYARDS ACT

Docket No. 549.—In re C. Swanston & Son, Sacramento, Calif. The Acting Secretary of Agriculture, on June 6, 1936, issued an inquiry alleging that respondent had violated the Packers and Stockyards Act in that it had engaged in an unfair, unjustly discriminatory, and deceptive practice and device in connection with the buying of livestock in commerce. A hearing was held on July 23. On November 11, respondent was ordered to cease and desist from engaging in and using the unfair and deceptive practice and device of refusing to accept livestock and to pay drafts drawn on it by buyers who have been authorized to buy livestock for shipment to respondent and who have been authorized by respondent

to draw drafts on it in payment therefor.

Docket No. 566.—In re Holmes & Robinson, Inc., Milwaukee, Wis. The Acting Secretary of Agriculture, on July 13, 1936, issued an inquiry alleging that respondent had engaged in and used an unfair, unjustly discriminatory, and deceptive practice and device in connection with the handling of livestock in commerce. A hearing was held on July 22. Oral argument was made before the Acting Secretary on November 5. On November 30 respondent was ordered to cease and desist from the unfair practice and device of remitting to any trucker the net proceeds arising from the sale of livestock known by the respondent to belong to any person other than such trucker, unless upon specific authority from such person.

Docket No. 578.—In re National Live Stock Commission Co., Parsons, Kans. The Acting Secretary of Agriculture on September 28, 1936, issued an inquiry alleging that respondent had engaged in an unfair, fraudulent, and deceptive practice and device in violation of the provisions of the Packers and Stockyards Act in that it had failed to furnish a reasonable bond to secure the performance of its obligations incurred as a market agency. As the respondent furnished ade-

quate bond on November 2, the case was dismissed on November 16.

Docket No. 580.—In re Armour & Co. and Swift & Co., New York, N. Y. The Acting Secretary of Agriculture on September 30, 1936, issued a complaint and notice of hearing in the above-entitled cause under the provisions of title II of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921. Pursuant to a motion made by Armour & Co., the Acting Secretary on November 10 granted the motion for severance and for separate hearings and proceedings as to the two respondents without prejudice to the right of the Secretary should the facts developed be deemed sufficient to warrant a joint hearing upon 72 hours' notice to the respondents. Swift & Co. on November 12 filed five separate motions to dismiss, stating the grounds for each motion, all of which were denied in an order issued by the Acting Secretary on November 18. Armour & Co. also filed three separate motions to dismiss, stating the grounds for each motion, all of which were denied in an order issued by the Acting Secretary on November 25. The hearing which was set for November 30 has been postponed until December 14. In order to avoid confusion, the proceeding against Swift & Co. will be known in the future as Docket No. 580 and that against Armour & Co. as Docket No. 580-A.

Docket No. 582-In re Stein, Fischer & Mintz, Inc., Newark, N. J. The Acting Secretary of Agriculture on October 5, 1936, directed that a hearing be held on October 12 to allow the respondent opportunity to show cause why its application for license, made under the act of Congress approved August 14, 1935, amendatory to the Packers and Stockyards Act, should not be denied. From the evidence adduced at the hearing, it was found that the applicant had complied with the requirements of the act and is financially able to fulfill its obligations incurred as a licensee; therefore, on November 24 the applicant was notified that a license for

buying, selling, and handling poultry would be issued to it.

Docket No. 600.—In re Shore Road Live Poultry Co., Inc., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Acting Secretary of Agriculture on October 13, 1936, directed that a hearing be held on October 15 to allow the respondent opportunity to show cause why its application for license, made under the act of Congress approved August 14, 1935, amendatory to the Packers and Stockyards Act, should not be denied. From the evidence adduced at the hearing, it was found that the applicant had complied with the requirements of the act and is financially able to fulfill its obligations

incurred as a licensee; therefore, on November 24 the applicant was notified that a license for buying, selling, and handling poultry would be issued to it.

*Docket No. 602.—In re Northwestern Live Stock Commission Co., Chicago, Ill. The Acting Secretary of Agriculture on October 28, 1936, issued an inquiry alleging that respondent was insolvent in that it was unable to pay its debts as they became due in the usual course of business. On or about November 4 respondent acknowledged receipt of the inquiry and admitted the truth of the matters and things alleged and waived a hearing thereon. On November 20 respondent was suspended from registration as a market agency for 6 months with leave, however, during said period to apply for a revocation of this suspension upon satisfactory proof that it is then and there solvent.

Stockyards Posted

The Lane Livestock Commission Co., located at Scottsbluff, Nebr., was posted on August 31 as coming within the jurisdiction of the Packers and Stockyards Act; the Wolf-Langman Live Stock Commission Co., located at Great Falls, Mont., on November 3; and the Norfolk Horse & Mule Commission Sales Co., located at Norfolk, Nebr., on November 12.

NEW PUBLICATIONS OF THE BUREAU

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Statistical Tables and Map Showing Progress of Tuberculosis Work among

Livestock in the United States. Pp. 12, mimeographed.

Declaration 12, under B. A. I. Order 309. Declaring Names of Counties

Placed in Modified Tuberculosis-Free Accredited Areas. Effective October 1, Pp. 2, mimeographed.

Amendment 1 to Declaration 12. Declaring Names of Counties Placed in Modified Tuberculosis-Free Accredited Areas. Effective November 2, 1936.

Pp. 2, mimeographed.

PUBLICATION OF AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

Agricultural Statistics, 1936. Pp. 421, paper cover. For sale by the Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D. C., 50 cents per copy. (This compilation of agricultural statistics was published as a part of the Yearbook of Agriculture This year it has been printed separately.) in former years.

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